WEATHER—Rain probably tonight and Tuesday. Colder Tuesday.

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Son Held For Death of Mother

Many Attend Republican Rally

The opportunity is given on the official ballot for the electors to designate whether or not they desire to change from a borough to a city form of government. The form will be found at the extreme lower portion of the ballot, and is as follows: Mark an X as shown here if you favor the City Charter.

To vote in favor of a City Charter, mark a cross (X) in the square opposite the words "FOR CITY CHARTER"
To vote against a City Charter, mark a cross (X) in the square opposite the words "AGAINST CITY CHARTER"

Proposed City Charter

For City Charter	X
Against City Charter	

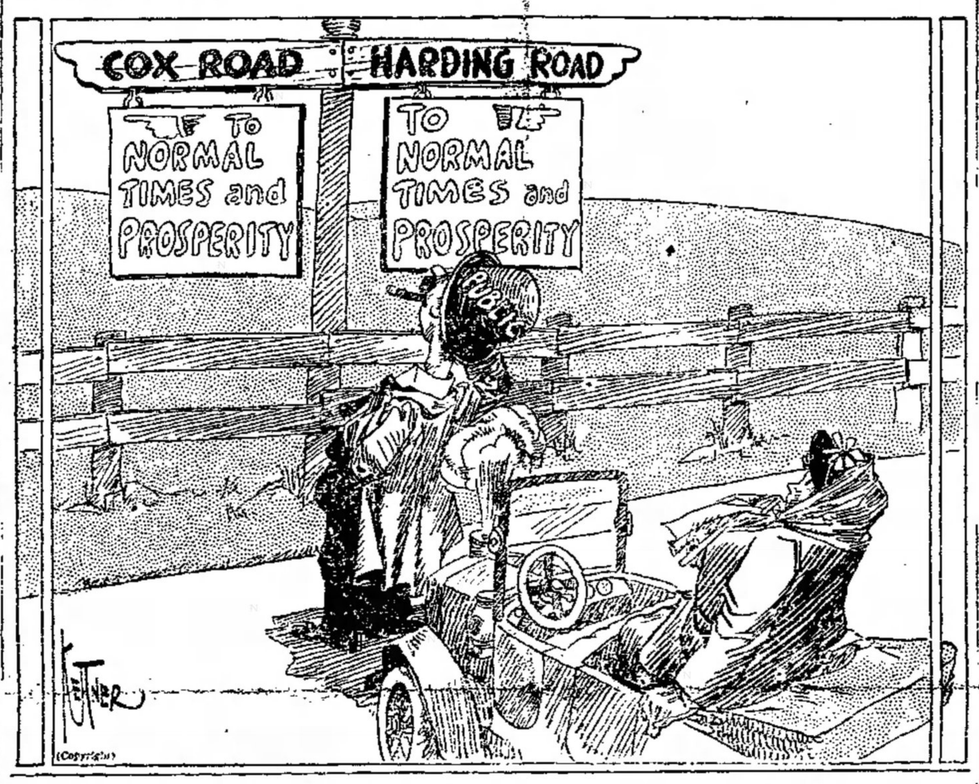
Believe Man Responsible For Death

Following the inquest as to the cause of the death of Mrs. Hannah Patterson, who was found dead in her home at Pricedale Friday night, a coroner's jury this morning at the office of Deputy Coroner Griffith, in this city found that the woman had came to her death from injuries sustained about the face and body and ordered that the son, Frazier Patterson, be held to answer for the crime. The jury was composed of F. L. Watts, M. J. Kilroy, Peter Garber, Joseph Sistek, Joseph Springer and T. C. Phillips.

Witnesses were present who testified that the woman, who was 85 years of age, was almost bedfast and made her home with the son. It was stated that she had fallen down the steps and received the wounds which caused her death, but investigation by physicians and members of the jury showed conclusively that the marks which covered the woman's face had evidently been made with a clenched fist and that other marks were on her body. A mark on her leg gave evidence that she had been dragged some distance.

The son who was arrested shortly after the finding of the body, wore a bloody shirt and stated that he received the blood stains when he assisted the injured woman to her bed after her fall. Other witnesses testified that he was under the influence of liquor Friday night and although the brutal crime was not witnessed by any person, it is believed that the man while in a drunken stupor beat his aged mother with his fists until she was dead. The prisoner will be taken to the county jail at Greensburg to await trial at the next term of criminal court.

Which Way?



Voters Should Read Ballot Very Carefully

Voters must be careful tomorrow and not confuse the Proposed City Charter change with the Constitutional Amendments. At the extreme lower portion of the ballot the voter will observe a small square in which an (X) is to be marked indicating the desire of the voter. If favoring a city charter mark an X in the square and if against the city charter mark an X opposite the words "Against City Charter."

But the voter must be careful to exercise the greatest care. First in finding this portion of the ballot and second, in placing a small X where it belongs, so that there will be no mistake in counting the ballots. This part of the ballot has nothing to do with that of the national ballot for any of the parties. For instance if the voter desires to vote the straight Republican ticket, an X marked in the square to the left will vote for every candidate on that ticket. If the voter desires to vote the straight Democratic ticket an X opposite the word Democratic will vote for every candidate on that ticket and likewise with any of the parties. But this will not vote for the Third Class City charter. The voter must go to the extreme bottom of the ballot and mark a small X in the square there. Neither will the straight party X vote for the judges. This is the Non-partisan ticket and an X must be marked opposite the name of the judge the voter desires to support.

Rally Day a Success

It was a great day at the local Baptist church yesterday when three of former pastors and present pastor occupied the pulpit. The meetings started at 7 a. m., with a fair attendance for such an early hour, but at 9:30 the members began to come. The attendance at school was 92 per cent, many classes being 100 per cent, and at Roll Call, it was an inspiring moment to hear each teacher stand and call out their attendance and free will offering. Rev. W. S. Carson gave the address on "What Think Ye of Christ," while Miss Gertrude Smith's solo was an inspiration.

In the afternoon there was another good attendance to hear Rev. H. Madtes, who was pastor during the building of the church. In the evening a large crowd came to hear the charter member and first pastor, the Rev. H. Hallowell. He spoke on how he was pastor when they had no church, no lot, and not even organized, a mere handful and congratulated them on their congregation and church of today. His text was "Consecration of all Your members" and was listened to with rapt attention as this pastor is an orator. The total free will collections amounted to over $600 dollars in cash as no pledges were taken and this amount goes to church repairs and parsonage fund. Truly, to get such a gathering of Monessen Baptist pastors past and present, meant a lot and they all noticed Monessen's change to the better, especially since eighteen years ago.

Masquerade Party

Friday evening, August 29th, Miss Mildred Craig gave a very delightful masquerade party at her home on Fourth street. About forty guests were present all being garbed in grotesque costumes. The home was tastefully decorated in Halloween colors. Music and games enlivened the occasion and a delightful lunch was served. When the guests departed for their homes they were unanimous in voting that the affair would long be remembered.

New Building Ready

Announcement is made of the completion of the new wholesale commission building for Parnella Bros. company by J. A. Lohman and Son, architects, under whose supervision the work was done. This marks the completion of one of the largest and most modern structures of its kind in the valley. The owners are busily engaged in moving from their present location at Donner avenue and First street to the new building located at the corner of Oneida St., and Donner avenue.

The building is a modern structure for the purpose and is comprised of two stories and finished basement with an electric elevator to all floors. A cold storage compartment has also been arranged together with special rooms for the care and treatment of bananas. At the rear of the building a side track has been placed and an unloading platform provided for the reception of produce. Loading doors flank each side and together with the windows are of fireproof materials.

The office is located at the front and efficiently arranged with modern equipment. The rapid growth of the company necessitated new quarters with greater capacity and with the new structure the capacity has been trebled. The patrons are assured more efficient service and together with the public are invited to inspect the new building. Despite the transportation difficulties the structure was erected in very short time.

Four Killed

(By United Press)

Stanton, Iowa, Nov. 1.--Four men were killed and a score injured in a collision between a freight and passenger train on the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad. An east bound passenger train plunged into a feirght train. The dead included the two engineers, a fireman and an unidentified tramp. A sleeping coach caught fire and the twenty-five occupants had a narrow escape.

Charleroi Visited by Revenue Officers

Five revenue officers, headed by D. J. McFarland, swooped down on Charleroi Saturday evening and raid ed eight places, five hotels, two club rooms and a lunch room. Large quantities of liquor were confiscated at most of the places, while others whom, it was claimed, were tipped off, were found to be dry. The officers had warrants against the eight places visited and searched the premises from top to bottom. All the proprietors will be hailed before the United States District Court to answer charges of illegal liquor selling, the officers claiming to have secured the evidence of sales before making the raid.

The five men came to the Magic City about ten o'clock and by noon had completed their task. At the National Lunch, the largest raid was made, the officers securing twelve gallon of whiskey and ten gallon of moonshine. At the Sokal club ten gallon of moonshine and a quantity of peppermint was secured. At the Eagles club room thirteen quarts of whiskey were secured and at the Wilbur hotel only a quart of liquor could be found. The officers returned empty handed from the Arthur, Myford and Arlington hotels.

REPUBLICAN SPEAKERS MADE STRONG APPEAL FOR ELECTION OF WHOLE TICKET

The Republican rally, held here on Saturday night, was well attended and all of the speakers were listened to with the most rapt attention. Two local bands furnished music. The speakers were Hon. Charles E. Whitten, W. T. Dom, and A. M. Wyant. C. L. Schuck acted as chairman and after making a few preliminary remarks as to the importance of a Republican victory, introduced the spakers.

Mr. Whitten was the first called upon and he talked for fifteen minutes explaining the importance of a Republican victory. W. T. Dom then spoke and made one of his stirring addresses. He was pungent in his remarks and when he made an attack on the League of Nations and wound up with the climax that if the League really prevents war and secures the European boundary lines and that if thirty five nations, who have already entered into it, America is safe, either in or out for there will be no war. America is better out under such circumstances, the speaker said.

A. M. Wyant, candidate for congress on the Republican ticket, was the last speaker and from the start he electrified his hearers. He outlined his position on many important issues and pledged his support to the Republican policy of "America First." His speech convinced every person present that he was posted on the issues of the campaign and that if elected he would assume his office a fearless exponent of the principles his party advocates.

During the three quarters of an hour that he occupied the platform there was hardly a person withdrew from the audience and the only disturbance was occasional bursts of applause. Mr. Wyant made one of the best outdoor speeches that has been delivered in Monessen in a long while. His remarks and his conduct indicated to every one that he is capable of filling the office to which he aspires and that if elected he will represent the Twenty-second District with credit and ability. He has been closely associated with Monessen and local people for the past eighteen years and has a devotion for the people and the community.

The speakers and several prominent Republicans drove over from Greensburg during the afternoon in automobiles.

Will Cast Millions of Ballots

By ED. L. KEEN
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

New York, Nov. 1—The Presidential campaign came to an end today with both major party candidates in their home camps ready to await the verdict of the largest number of voters ever registred for an American election.

Twenty-nine million ballots will be cast tomorrow, if all the voters go to the polls. Of these 9,000,000 will be votes of women who constitute "X—the unknown quantity in equation."

If the woman's vote divides along party lines following that of the men the Republicans are confident of victory. However, if the women are swayed by the Democratic appeal for votes for the league of nations on the ground that it will keep America out of war, the result may surprise those experts who are figuring on a Republican landslide.

Accurate forecasting of result was made more difficult by the fact that the Farmer-Labor party expected to capture several western states, which might throw the presidential election into the House of Representatives. Socialist leaders were also predicting the biggest vote in history for their candidate, Eugene V. Debs, who will await the returns in Atlanta penitentiary where he is serving a sentence.

The election day weather outlook was rather unsettled.

Rain was forecast along the eastern seaboard, with snow expected in the lakes region. Voters in the west probably will find it fair and cold except on the Pacific coast.

Polls throughout the country generally will open at six or seven a. m. and close 12 hours later. Thus, if there is a landslide one way or the other, the news of it may be known by the time the last minute voters on the Pacific coast are casting their ballots on account of the three hours difference in time which will permit three hours of light counting in the east before the polls close in the far west.

Next in importance to the presidential fight is, of course, the contest for places in the Senate. At present the Republicans control the Senate by a majority of two votes. Nineteen Democratic senatorial seats and fifteen Republican are visited in the election tomorrow. Nine of the Democratic senators running for re-election are in the southern states and virtually sure of winning. The other ten Democratic seats involved in tomorrow's voting are in Kentucky, Oklahoma, Maryland, South Dakota, Colorado, Oregon, California, Idaho, Arizona and Nevada, in each of which states the Republicans have conducted a vigorous campaign. The Republican seats which the Democrats are trying to capture are in Connecticut, New York, New Hampshire, Pennsylvania, Kansas, Vermont, Indiana, Ohio, Utah, Illinois, Wisconsin, Iowa, Missouri, Washington and North Dakota.

A vigorous battle is also being waged for control of the House of Representatives, where the Republicans already have a comfortable majority.

The last day of the campaign found both candidates in their home states, Gov. Cox in Dayton and Senator Harding at Marion. Harding will remain there until all is all over. Cox, however, goes to Toledo this afternoon for one more speech tonight, then back to Dayton to hear the verdict.

A last gun may be fired in behalf of Cox by President Wilson, according to party leaders around Democratic headquarters today. It was learned there was a prospect of the President making another statement appealing for votes for the league of nations. The [illegible] last night in a telegram to a league of nations mass meeting in Boston declared that the issue to be decided tomorrow is the most vital which ever confronted the people.

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Big Time Tonight

With fair weather promised for this evening, the success of Monessen's big Halloween celebration is assured and the thousands who line the down town business section of the town will enjoy the Mardi Gras to the fullest extent. The parade will form at the freight station at 7:30 under Chief Marshall S. S. Townsend and after traversing Donner and Schoonmaker avenues the marchers and all others who wish, will participate in the community dance at the freight station.

Arrangements have been made for special lights to be placed there and the mummers will enjoy the dancing on the streets with good music being furnished by the Italian band. The band will be on the streets early in the evening and the committee in charge of the parade will distribute red fire to the marchers. The judges will be located at Fifth and Donner and the cash prizes amounting to $100 will be awarded to the winners immediately after the parade.

(By United Press)

Lewisburg, W. Va., Nov. 1--Charged with the murder of Charles Rider, Miss Edna Bond is under arrest here. She stated that she killed Bond while on an auto ride, fearing that he was about to take her life. She forced another occupant of the automobile to drive to a constable's office where she gave herself up.

Big Day For Aviator

Aviator David Ruse may be expected to put on a few extra stunts while in the air today, owing to the fact that a nine pound baby boy arrived at his home yesterday. The new arrival has been named David Christian, Junior, after the proud father and is expected to become a daring aviator within a few years.

Aviator Ruse gave an exceptional fine exhibition of flying Saturday for the benefit of the thousands of fans who were in attendance at the football game. Flying directly over the playing field, he went through his various stunts and then dropped a huge black and white parachute, which floated slowly over the field and landed only a short distance from the park. In a few minutes the aviator and his assistant appeared at the grounds with the parachute and were given an ovation by the crowd. Just as the game ended the aviator again took the air and despite the darkness flew over the field and again dropped the parachute which this time landed on the banks of the Monongahela river.

(By United Press)

Harrisburg, Nov. 1.--John Guffney, a clerk in the law office of the Department of Internal Affairs, was killed in an automobile accident yesterday while on his way home to vote.

Donora Defeated in Poorly Played Game

The local High school defeated the Donora High school football team last Saturday at Athletic park by a score of 27-6. Game was slow and uninteresting due to the poor work of the officials, who repeatedly stopped the game and held conferences. All of the officials were central board men but none of them had ever worked in Monessen before. Their poor work not only spoiled the game for the spectators, but disorganized the teams as well and what should and would have been the best game of the season turned out to be the poorest.

The local team did not play up to its usual form and was scored on for the first time this season. After rolling up 21 points in the first half in spite of many penalties, they showed little of their usual class in the second half and were held for a lone touchdown.

All of Monessen High school's touchdowns came as the result of straight football through short consistent gains. Donora scored in the third quarter, when Schmid, on a backward pass after Donora had received the kickoff, ran through the entire Monessen team for a touchdown. Every first down made by Donora was made by Schmitt who played a wonderful game.

Even though Donora was beaten by three touchdowns, yet little credit belongs to the local team for the victory. Monessen outweighed her opponents by eight pounds to the man and should have won by at least 40 points if they had displayed the class of play shown in former games. The interference of the local backs was ragged and the tackling of the secondary defense was very poor at times. Monessen's line was the redeeming feature in the locals' play. Not once did Donora make a gain through it while Myford and Graff repeatedly threw the Donora backs for big losses.

P. Pillette was weak for Monessen at right end, at which point practically every Donora gain was made. Of the backs, Veschio was the brilliant light on defense while Schmidt was the most consistent ground gainer on the offense.

While Monessen was playing Donora, Uniontown was decisively trouncing Charleroi 28-3, and Rochester was winning from Beaver Falls 6-0. As both Charleroi and Beaver Falls were strong contenders for the Syracuse cup, their defeat puts Monessen several links forward toward the championship. However, Monessen must still meet the strong Uniontown team and unless there is a decided improvement in the work of the local team before Nov. 20, they will be eliminated from the race by the Fayette county gridders.

It is likely that Coach Townsend will make several shifts in his team as a result of the poor showing Saturday. These changes have been under consideration for some time, but it was thought best to wait until after the Donora game before putting them into effect.

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REPUBLICAN IN POLITICS

THE DEBATING SOCIETY

Someone wants to know what has become of the old time debating society, which used to meet at the church "vestry," the school building, or elsewhere, and hold those thumping old debates on "protection vs. free trade," and "shall capitol punishment be abolished," etc, etc.

This question might be answered by saying that the young men of the present time spend so much time attending movie shows, that they have no energy left to get up debates. It took a good deal of work to run an old time debating society. Nowadays people would rather sit in an opera chair and see the latest thriller. However, the fellows who used to run these debating societies acquired a readiness of speech and an alertness of thought, which was a tremendous help in daily life and business relations.

LET'S EAT APPLES

Governor Sproul's proclamation urging the people of Pennsylvania to buy apples in large quantities is a constructive suggestion and ought to have immediate response in every part of the state. Thousands of bushels of apples are hanging on the trees ripe for the consumer and with the people ready to buy, but a breakdown in transportation and a shortage of apple pickers threatens the loss of an enormous food supply through these causes.

City philanthropists might well organize forces of apple pickers in the cities and towns for a week and send them into the apple belt, where the trees are breaking down under the golden and rosy fruit, and ship this wholesome food product to the crowded towns and cities in box cars ready for sale at cost on the railroad sidings.

No time is to be lost if this fruit is to be saved. The unusually warm weather makes it necessary to act quickly, and Governor Sproul's suggestion ought to have the earnest consideration of those who for themselves and others are ready to strip the orchards, if organized.

Along the railroads of the state orchards are calling for those who ought to be sent to gather the fruit and great signs greet the passersby, inviting pickers to apply for the job.

DON'T "THROW THE GAME"

The nation was shocked some time ago by revelations of wholesale corruption in what had been one of its most highly respected baseball teams. That some of the most famous players on the diamond have accepted money to "throw the game" was a startling revelation not alone of man's inherent weakness, but of the tremendous temptations that he is called upon to withstand.

They are all about us, these temptations, petty and powerful, subtle and open, slinking and arrogant. Not only baseball players are called upon to face them. Every day, every where, they are whispering into men's minds the poisoned lure to "throw the game."

Discontent, misunderstanding, disappointment, jealousy, selfishness, greed--these are the temptations that pierce their cancer growth into the souls of men in high places and low. These are the temptations that urge a man, in a moment of anger, of chagrin, or despair, or covetousness, to "throw the game."

A sales clerk who piqued by a reprimand, rebuffs a customer and turns a friend of the store into an enemy, "throws the game."

The mill hand who, resentful of a grievance, real or fancied, stands by while the output of hours of toil is destroyed, "throws the game."

The man anywhere, any time, who knocks the efforts of his colleagues, the purpose of his employer, the integrity of their establishment, like Eddie Cicotte, "throws the game."

The man who speaks of his family with criticism and disparagement instead of with respect and pride, "throws the game."

The man who fails always to do his best, to keep faith with all that is true and noble, to play his part with heart and soul, that man also "throws the game."

The man who throws the game cheats not only his employer. He cheats his associates, he cheats the public and above all, he cheats himself. He sells his immortal soul for a mundane, fleeting price.

An offer of $200,000 has been made the St. Louis Browns for ball player Sisler, but it is not reported that anyone has paid any premiums to get a champion corn hoer.

While everyone is doing business for less than it costs them, yet in some unaccountable way most people keep out of the bankruptcy court and a lot of them buy automobiles.

The principal manifestation of industry displayed by a lot of people is cultivating the favor of wealthy relatives who may leave them some money.

The cities are growing faster than the country, but then the Bible always said that the wicked shall spread themselves like the green bay tree.

Intense interest is manifested in the footwear department, particularly in the department commonly known as bootlegging.

Formerly baseball coachers used to make most of the noise on the diamond, but recently money has been talking a lot.

Olive Thomas in "The Flapper" at the Olympic theatre today. A photograph of Olve Thomas will also be given away to all patrons.

PRISCILLA

By JACK LAWTON.

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Priscilla read Sidney's letter over on the train. The first reading had impressed her with his apprehension, painstakingly veiled, concerning her coming arrival at his home. Priscilla knew her lover so well that she could read between the lines; also, and quite unconsciously, Sidney possessed an art of portraying with his pen his surroundings. Priscilla could almost see the austere old couple who were his parents. She could see "Stebbins," the elderly maid of long service in her English uniform, and could fancy beneath her silence that unsympathetic criticism of strangers, which would later be passed on to her mistress. With all the conventional formality between them, Stebbins and Anne Gray Long were friends. Had not Stebbins served in Anne Gray's English home years ago, before Anne met and married Sidney's American father? Prissy read with a smile her fiance's precise direction as to her coming. It sounds, thought the girl, like a preparation for presentation at court. I will try to be pleasant and proper, she decided, but I'll just be my natural self. It was her "natural self," she further reflected, that Sidney Long had fallen in love with back in the city where she was studying music, and he studying law. It had been a surprise, after their hasty engagement, to learn that Sidney's people disliked the life of a singer. Priscilla was immensely proud of the fact that her voice was liked enough to be publicly known—proud that she was able to still keep with the money it brought her, the small home of her childhood. But the invitation to visit, which Sidney Long's mother sent after the engagement, was sufficiently cordial notwithstanding its formality, and she had thought it best to accept.

Tardiness it seemed was an unforgivable sin in the Long household. Priscilla did not know what she was going to do about it, as she caught up her bag and started from the train. She alighted, it appeared, in a huge public park or picnic ground. Inquiry proved the latter surmise to be correct. A large country picnic was in progress with carts and autos everywhere. But each auto awaited its return load and could not be bribed to accommodate a chance stranger. And as Prissy waited, pretty even in her perplexity, hovering above her head into the summer sky, swung an airplane. The aeronaut was finishing his daring feats for the amusement of the crowd, and came swirling to make his landing.

To the girl's breathless astonishment the bird-ship halted so close to her side, that she was nearer than the excited throng who rushed to welcome it. The aviator slipping back his leather cap smiled victoriously into her face, and Prissy, her own plight forgotten in admiration, returned his smile with words of praise.

"It was wonderful," Prissy exclaimed, "to see you come flying across the sky. I"—she laughed, "I felt as if I would like to be up there too—looking down on the land below."

The aeronaut's name was one she had often heard in time of war; he leaned toward her impulsively.

"Get in," he offered, "I'll take you up."

Priscilla hesitated another moment, then she dimpled.

"It is very necessary," she said, "that I reach the Long estate just outside of Claremont, before four o'clock. If you could get me there.—"

The young man was already helping her into the airplane.

"Going back just that way," he said.

In her joyous flight across land and water, Priscilla was still conscious of a guilty scruple concerning the manner of her arrival at her conservative fiance's home. The old English uncle who had named Sidney as his heir, had crossed the ocean for the suspicious purpose of meeting Sidney's intended wife.

It was not the driver's fault that he miscalculated his distance, or that Long park presented the only favorable landing spot. But in Long park he landed.

The airship had been heralded by its sound, and porches and verandas of the old place were filled with family and servants. Prissy recognized the stately old couple on the pillared veranda as Sidney's parents, and she could not resist a chuckle as the object they watched so eagerly dropped to their feet. She knew Uncle Stephen, too, as she removed the goggles from her eyes and Sidney—well it was plain to be seen that Sidney could not believe his own eyes as he came toward her.

The episode was terribly hard to explain. Prissy gave up in despair before Sidney's horrified stare, and was deciding to climb into the throbbing machine again and beg the driver to carry her away somewhere, when Uncle Stephen came to the rescue—Uncle Stephen, whose fad for miscellaneously turned out was the modern airship and its workings. And so delighted was Uncle Stephen to find a prospective niece demonstrating his one object of interest, and so accommodating was the aeronaut in his explanation of its workings, and so unexpected is life altogether — that Priscilla's spectacular descent upon her new family ended more happily than even her fondest dreams.

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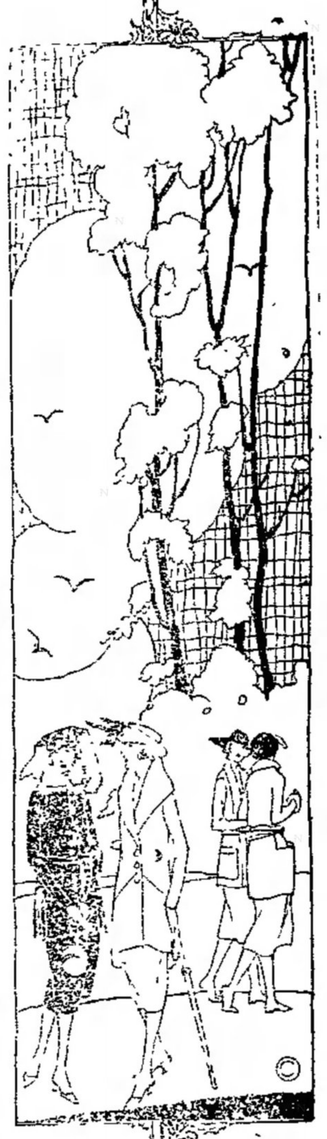

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5 Room Bungalow, Hardwood finish, bath, furnace, electric, cement cellar, large porches, Oakland Ave., Charleroi price $4,500.00
6 Rooms, large reception hall, cement cellar, newly papered, large porches, Lock No. 4, price $4,450.00
6 Rooms, bath, electric, furnace, slate roof, large porches, newly built, extra large lot, Lookout Ave., Charleroi, Pa., price $4,950.00
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McKeesport Planning Celebration

Four squares of newly asphalted Market street will be illuminated with red, white and blue lights and three well known popular bands will furnish music for the free street dancing, Armistice Day evening at the Mardi Gras held in McKeesport under auspices of Burt Foster Post of the American Legion. Thousands of people from McKeesport and the surrounding cities and towns are to be present for the celebration which the Legion promises will be the greatest community event McKees has seen since the war.

Mayor Lysle and Council of McKeesport are expected to proclaim a civic holiday from 2 p. m., in the afternoon of Thursday, Nov. 11.

Prefacing the big celebration in the evening there will be a short parade at 8 p. m., for soldiers of the great war with wounded soldiers and G. A. R. transported in autos, followed by masqueraders.

The parade will disband in Market street where the community dance will be held. Along Market street, the Legion will conduct stands where noise makers and everything that will make the night a real Mardi Gras will be sold. Scores of prizes will be offered for fancy masqueraders and also for fancy dances.

Taking part in the celebration beside the McKeesport Legion Post is the Dravosburg Post of the Legion and the McKeesport Post Veterans of Foreign Wars. Other Legion Posts nearby are expected to take part. Business men and patriotic organizations of McKeesport are furnishing the funds for the celebration.

In case of inclement weather on the night of November 11th, the affair will be held on Friday night, Nov. 12th.

Cast Millions of Ballots

(continued from page one)

Last minute statements included one from Cox, asserting that "suffering humanity awaits the verdict of America at the polls," and charging that Harding, if elected, never will send the treaty to the Senate again but will negotiate a separate peace with Germany, one from Republican chairman Hays asking the people to vote against "internationalism and Wilsonism," one from Samuel Gompers of the A. F. of L. referring to Harding as a foe of union labor, and one from Scott C. Bone, Republican publicity, charging that the "whispering campaign" against Harding originated on the special tram on which Cox toured the country.

Italian Tragedian's Art.

Rossi, the Italian tragedian, achieved a great triumph of manner over matter when, dining at a cafe with some fellow actors, he accepted a wager that he could so read the menu as to bring tears to their eyes. His noble voice, pathetic at soups, appealing among fish, frenzied with the roast, rising to agony at vegetables, sinking to heart broken sobs and poignant shrieks in the enumeration of sweets and fruit, and fading finally at coffee to a dying sigh, was not to be resisted. Tears streamed down their cheeks and Rossi won the wager.

Dead Sea Bitumen.

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Music's Charms.

"It spent its days on a front seat at a concert show."

Cars For Donora

Announcement is made by C. A. Fagan, W. D. George and S. L. Tone, receivers of the Pittsburgh Railways Company of the inauguration, effective today, of a through interurban trolley service between Donora and Pittsburgh, with cars operating every hour on the half hour from 6:30 a. m., to 11:30 p. m., daily. This new service will connect Pittsburgh with one of the largest towns in the Monongahela valley with a frequent and fast interurban passenger service.

In arranging the Donora service, it has been found pratical to maintain an hourly service to Charleroi and points beyond, running from Pittsburgh every hour on the hour. A local service will be maintained between Riverview, Charleroi and Donora every half hour which will give the up-river points beyond Monongahela a half hour schedule.

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Local and Personal Items of Interest

There is no charge for items contributed to this column of the going and coming of people or social happenings. Call 53.

Mrs. Elmer Hall is a visitor in the city today.

J. A. Lohman is a Pittsburgh business visitor today.

Miss Anna Harcholick spent yesterday with friends in Braddock.

Mrs. Mary Miller of the Grand Hotel is a visitor in Pittsburgh today.

Miss Martha Stevenson spent Sunday visiting friends and relatives in Braddock.

Miss Gladys Clark of Monongahela City visited with local friends yesterday.

B. E. Brown and C. A. Derby left yesterday on a hunting trip to Frostburg, Md.

Mrs. Charles Carney and Miss Myrtle Trew are spending today in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Roy D. Soisson of Sixth street was a visitor in Pittsburgh on Saturday.

Miss Mary Joyce of Pittsburgh spent Sunday with her parents on McKee avenue.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Jamison of Schoonmaker avenue are spending the day in Pittsburgh.

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Miss Irene Foster of Mingo visited with Miss Austie Patton of Knox avenue over the week end.

Misses Amelia Patrick, Catherine Hill and Joseph Graham visited with friends in Uniontown yesterday.

Miss Maud Findley of Donora spent the week end here at the home of Miss Mildred Craig of Fourth street.

The dining room at the Monongahela Valley Country Club will remain open this week for the benefit of the members.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Darr and family and Mrs. C. H. Watson motored to Glassport yesterday, where they visited with friends.

Miss Margaret Frable of Charleroi was the guest of Misses Anna and Elizabeth Petrusky at their home on Schoonmaker avenue over Sunday.

Ernest Pillet, who is a patient at the Charleroi-Monessen hospital, is thought to be sufficiently recovered to be able to return to his home on Park Way tomorrow.

The Charleroi football team tasted defeat for the second time this season, when they went down before the strong Uniontown High school team Saturday by a score of 25 to 0.

The local Order of Moose announces that all arrangements have been made to run a special wire Tuesday night, Nov. 2, at the Moose Temple. Members and their friends are cordially invited. 23-3t

Mrs. Wilson Reid was the speaker at the United Presbyterian church on Atlantic avenue, McKeesport, yesterday evening, it being the occasion of the annual thanksgiving offering of the congregation.

Tomorrow evening the Elks will receive returns of the election over a special wire which has been installed at the Elks home on Seventh street. All members of the lodge are invited to be present during the night to receive the returns.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Perkins arrived home today from Oakland, Calif., where they spent the past four months. They expect to secure rooms and take up light housekeeping and Mr. Perkins will resume his position here.

The Daughters of Isabel of Court Donora, which includes members of this city and Donora, will hold a social tomorrow evening at their club rooms in Donora at which time they will receive the election returns over a special wire. The Court has one hundred voters, who will cast their first ballot tomorrow.

Success Lodge No 275, Knights of Pythias wish to announce their annual winter dance to be held at the McKeesport Palesades, Wednesday evening, November 3rd. Entrance on Fifth avenue bridge. The chairman of committees, Harry P. Samuels and Harry Saartz assure every one a good time.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Snapp on Donner avenue, was the scene on Saturday night of a Hallowe'en party, which was largely attended. The decorations were very beautiful and unique and a sumptuous repast was enjoyed by the many friends who were present. Dancing and games were indulged in throughout the evening.

Twenty five guests were present at the many-piece miscellaneous shower tendered Mrs. William Rohnberger, at her home, 47 East Donner avenue on Friday evening. The guests enjoyed a pleasant evening in games and music and a dainty lunch was served. Mrs. Rohnberger before her marriage was Miss Frances Columbus.

LISSETTE

By MILDRED WHITE.

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Lissette came thoughtfully up through the old garden that was fragant with memories. It was here that she had grown to young womanhood under Aunt Martha's care. Now that Aunt Martha was gone forever, Lissette in her busy city life, felt that she must go back to stay in the place until affairs should be settled and past debts paid.

The old rambling house with green shutters was dearly familiar—the apple tree beneath which she had swung to and fro. Tilly, white-aproned, waited in the doorway—Aunt Martha alone was absent. It was a joy to sit before the living room fire at evening—a joy to sleep in the chintz-decked bedroom; but the following afternoon of a rainy day dragged drearily. Lissette did not want so much to think of Aunt Martha, she wanted to occupy her mind, and to bring back in memory the happy days of long ago; so she went into the sunny kitchen, and with Tilly industriously mending near by Lissette gathered together the ingredients for candy making—Aunt Martha's delicious old fashioned candies, which she, as a little girl had tied in dainty gift packages for favored friends. The candy bubbled and cooled in the making, and Lissette's own cheeks were as red as the sugared cherries, the tendrils of her hair as golden as the maple sirup; cheerily Lissette hummed as she worked, while the rain beat against the windows. A motor car crunching down the drive came to a stop before her kitchen window, while the driver springing out and up the steps through the rain, knocked at the kitchen door.

"Beg pardon," he said, "but we have been overtaken in the storm, the breeze is pretty stiff, and I wondered if the ladies might be allowed to step inside, they are damp and chilly." Lissette liked the young man's frank face, also his pleasing voice was reassuring.

"Certainly, bring them in," she invited; "Tilly will put a log on the fire."

The elder of the two ladies was most grateful for the hospitality. She was a brisk, bright-eyed old lady, while the younger one, in her bright-eyed freshness, was a picture of what the older lady had been. They introduced themselves as Mrs. and Miss Carte, the young man whose name appeared to be Neil Strong, addressed the younger woman as "Gladdy." They were merry together about the fireplace, and Lissette came with a smile to offer them her finished candies. So delighted were they, and friendly altogether, that Lissette tied up for them as the hours passed a dainty packet of candy to carry home, as Aunt Martha had taught her to do in days past. And before they left her visitors made the suggestion which would enable her to solve her present living problem.

"Why don't you," asked Mrs. Carte, "make enough of this wonderful candy to sell at a good price to certain patrons. I myself will be a regular customer."

"And we can send you many others," Miss Gladdy added eagerly. Neil Strong settled the question. "I could order some trial boxes for you with 'Lissette' engraved on the covers," he said; it all sounded so inviting that Lissette enthused to the prospect.

"Neil will come later in the week, to get more candy for me," the girl said.

He remembered astonishingly well. Tuesday and Thursday afternoons never failed to bring to the old house Neil Strong in his car; and always with the order for Miss Gladdy he brought other orders. Lissette's trade grew amazingly.

Strangely enough as time passed Lissette found herself wondering as she mixed her candies in the big kitchen at the comparisons of life. Here was she working over a hot fire, with no real home and no friends in particular, while there, protected and beloved, was Gladdy. There was no rancor in Lissette's thought, just a sort of wistfulness at her own lack of joy. Perhaps Neil Strong's fine face may have been responsible for the wistfulness. Anyway Lissette decided that she was not going to see him again. One night become unwisely accustomed to the comfort of a sympathetic personality, even when that personality was vowed to another. Hereafter Tilly should meet Mr. Strong and deliver the candies. The fifth of November would be soon in coming—so thought Lissette, and the fire alone was not responsible for the flush which dyed her cheeks. But Neil came unawares, she was in the garden picking a yellow chrysanthemum to tie over the golden letters of "Lissette" on Gladdy's candy box, when he found her.

"And what," asked Neil Strong simply, "am I to do when I can no longer come for Gladdy's candy? Will you begin with me for myself, dear?"

Lissette gasped.

"I do not understand you," she answered with dignity.

"I think you do understand," Neil gently corrected. "That I love you, Lissette. You must know that. And so when my cousin Gladdy is married to James Brent you will still let me come until we can arrange to fix up this place for ourselves, dear. You love the old home and garden, Lissette, and I have hoped that you love me."

"I do," the girl answered simply. So Lissette's story is told.

The Indications.

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HER MISTAKE

By IRENE E. HAYES.

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Alicia and Caroline were quarreling about a man. It was ever thus when there were newcomers—male ones—in Silverwaters. As for the men, well, it depended on whom they saw first. It seemed as though Alicia were to be victor this time, since, as she maliciously told Caroline, Mr. Barton was to spend the coming week-end with her folks.

Alicia Grant was a statuesque blonde. She gave one the impression of being ever cool and unrumpled. Caroline was of the tawny type—red golden hair, Carmen complexion, temper and all. Betty Murray was their go-between in quarrels, besides an effective foil for their respective charms. From childhood it had been so. Betty's home, appropriately enough, separated those of her two friends, and like theirs, the lawn sloped to the river from which the town derived its name.

"I do wish I weren't so plain!" Betty wanted to compete in this particular affair. She had seen Mr. Keene Barton's picture, and for one solid week had listened to his praise as sung by Alicia. Heretofore the victims had never appealed to her as being real, worthwhile men. But now—why, Mr. Barton had just the right kind of wavy black hair, the ideal chin and nose!

Still there were possibilities. It was a dear little heart-shaped, rosy flushed face peeping at her from the mirror. The velvet blue eyes could look almost satanic and the nose was saucily tilted, the mouth deceitfully demure.

"There are no homely women in the world, only those who do not know how." That quotation inspired her. "I'm going to the city."

Having no family to say her no, only a grandparent who always said yes—she did go. If I should enumerate the things she bought you might get the impression that she was going to partake in some theatricals.

No sooner had she returned than Alicia phoned. For a moment her plans seemed all for naught.

"News, Bets, dear. Dad has sent word that Mr. Barton will arrive tonight instead of tomorrow! His things are here now."

"May I come over and size him up by his trunks?" Betty's voice sounded gay over the wire."

And another inspiration came to her during the examination of the stranger's luggage.

"Oh, Licey dear, lend me your new bag; mine is too shabby to take with me when I go to cousin Sue's." The bag was brought and Alicia thanked.

"And now I'll be going. I hope Mr. Barton will prove the man his trunk indicates." With this enigmatic remark she was gone.

Living alone with only a grandparent has its compensations, especially when one wants to be alone.

"Grampie, dear, let me fix you a nice something and tuck you up for a sleep." "Grampie" fell into the trap neatly.

You'd think she was expecting some intimate caller to see her preen when once alone in her room. She donned the flimsiest of negligees—the kind they wear only in the movies—all ribbons and lace and rosettes. Moreover, she used one of her recent purchases—an eyebrow pencil.

It was perhaps 10 o'clock when the door bell rang. Betty received the unexpected caller, who, when he could, apologized.

"I'm awfully sorry to intrude—but—" It transpired then that Betty had taken his bag by mistake.

"What a lot of trouble I've caused you." She was blushing most charmingly. He was watching a little curl try to kiss a dimple near the moist red lips. Ah! the attempt had been successful. Betty brushed the audacious thing away.

"I'm afraid I'm keeping you from your beauty sleep."

"Oh, beauty sleep! Early morning dips in the river are so much more beneficial. Don't you think so?" The dimples winked.

Keen Barton evidently thought so. At any rate, he was "Johnny-on-the-spot" next morning.

"Yes, I enjoyed my swim." In answer to Alicia's query at breakfast later.

"Fibber," he hadn't been in the water any longer than it took to swim to the Murray landing place. Alicia became uneasy—he wasn't responding to her smiles.

The reception that evening was a very brilliant occasion. Alicia wore an artistic black gown. Caroline—well, Caroline was a Cleopatra for gorgeousness.

"I wonder why Betty came in her grandfather's old barouche when the machine—Oh, look, Licey, who's that with Mr. Barton?"

Could this pansy-eyed imp be Betty? This pink clouded butterfly with the tantalizing dimples? Betty herself reassured them.

"Mr. Barton and I have met before." They exchanged smiles.

Wise little Betty to prefer the slow carriage to the more modern car. "The longest way round is ever the shortest way—"

"You see"—Betty finished her confession to Barton while he held the hand adorned by his ring—"I had to take a chance on your coming for the bag yourself."

"Not so much of a chance"—he kissed the flirtatious dimple—"I had seen a group picture of your two friends—and you."

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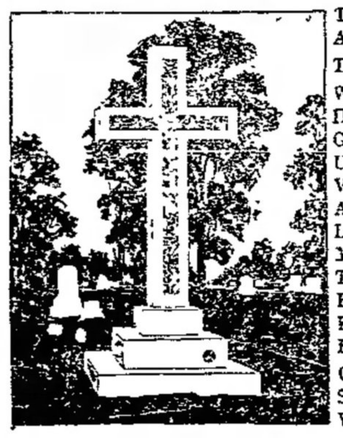

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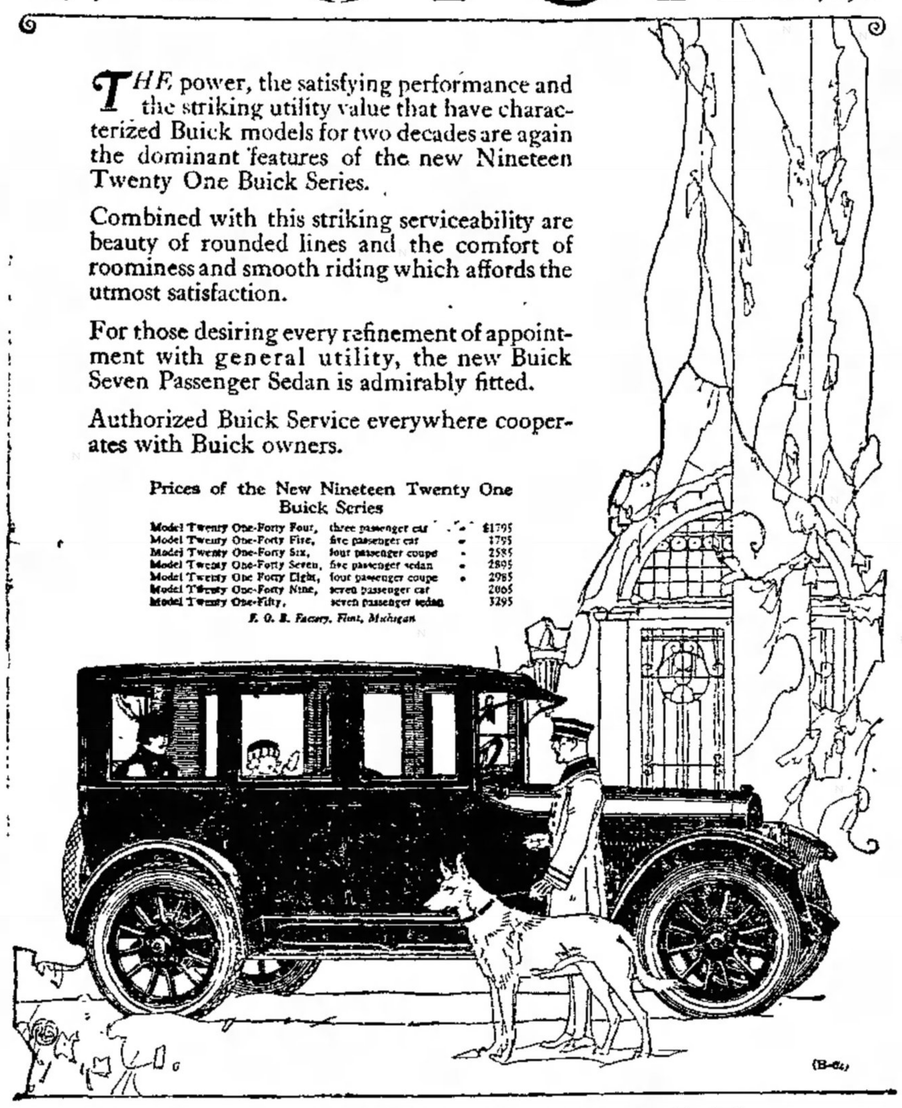

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LINDA RETURNS

By JACK LAWTON.

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Linda and Jack had quarreled and after sleepless nights, and days of sulky silence, Linda determined to end the strain by going away for a pretended vacation; whether she came back or not would depend entirely upon Jack's behavior, but this he need not know until she had made her departure. Linda reached this conclusion after a last stormy interview. It was the first quarrel in an ideal married year, and therefore most bitter. Linda had heard so much of designing, vampish women of late, and had trembled before their power, as portrayed by the screen, that she had, as it were, been on the watch for this dreaded intrusion into her own happiness, and it had come.

Jack, the faithful, was actually seen by Linda's dearest friend driving with his new pretty stenographer on a far-away country road. Moreover, the friend stopping later at Willow Inn for tea, had been horrified to find Jack partaking of the same tea, with the girl of his employ.

Gladys hurried home to tell Linda before Jack should return, and when he did return, still early in the evening, he was met with a surprisingly frigid reception by his erstwhile loving wife. Jack could not understand the sudden change, but after a sobbingly confused upbraiding by that formerly gentle creature, he was made aware of his sin and as indignantly denied the accusation. The fact remained that he had driven with Miss Huldah Brown, however, and had unmistakably tea'd with her at Willow Inn; and though Jack pointed out that the trip was a purely business one, that he had been sent for by a valued client, and it was absolutely necessary to have his stenographer with him, Linda's outraged feelings were not appeased.

"If," she inconsistently explained, "the Huldah Brown person were old and ugly, it might appear differently."

Huldah Brown was undeniably neither. Jack indignantly refused to promise her discharge, or even that he be seen no more in public with his stenographer; until that arrangement should be made, the jealous Linda had, so to speak, severed family relations. The young injured husband was doomed in his own home to the life of a stranger—and a disappointed stranger at that. So, at length, Linda resolved to start for the seaside, leaving Jack to the capable ministrations of "Mary," the long-trusted family domestic. The seaside proved this time a dreary place of sojourn. Linda wondered how she ever found it so delightful. Of course, before there had been Jack's long, loving letters, and his weekly visit. What a jolly companion Jack had been, how comforting and protecting. Linda just could not think of her unruly husband without an annoying lump in her throat. Now, his letters were scratches of the pen, and he came not at all at week's end. It was the vampish influence of Huldah Brown which held him, of course, for he would still not give in to the girl's dismissal. Well, neither would Linda give in. She sighed, she wept; then Linda wrote her "scare" letter. She told Jack just what she thought of him, and hinted darkly that she might never return.

Jack did not answer the letter, the last one which came from him had evidently crossed hers in the mail. He stated briefly that Mary had left him to his own resources. He would try to get along as best he could, with the help of the delicatessen. Linda had visions of a white sink filled to overflowing with her fine, soiled china, of rumpled beds far from restful to a city-tired lawyer. She had frightened visions, also, of Peep, the canary, seedless in his golden cage, and Bob, the terrier. Would Jackie remember to feed poor Bob? Mentally, Linda gave to her lonely husband his old pet name—mentally Linda was undergoing a change. Pity, also, was taking the place of anger. But though she waited eagerly, tensely Jack made no response to her threatening letter. Evidently, if she intended never to return to him, she might remain where she was as far as he was concerned. Then one night she read his advertisement for a maid in the want column of the city paper. The address designated was that of their own apartment. Repentant tears filled Linda's eyes, and it was Jackie's lack of care about which she now was thinking, and not that of Bob's, or the canary. It was with a new and deep crease between his gloomy eyes that Jack settled himself next evening to await the applicants coming in answer to his advertisement. He chose the living room as being least discouraging in its lack of housekeeping attention. And he was wondering as he sat if he could still hold out against Linda's unreasonable demand. His conscience and his pride rebelled against the yielding—yet oh! how he wanted her. The first applicant whose ring had sounded unnerved came slowly to stand before him. He was sure that he had left no door unlatched yet, here in the twilight stood a small aproned figure—a dainty, beruffled person, with outstretched hand.

"Jack," came a quick, soft voice, "I have come back to cook for you, to work for you, to try to earn—my pardon."

And after a long and blissful time Linda raised her face from her husband's shoulder.

"Mercy me!" she cried, "I've forgotten all about Bob and the canary!"

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Medical science has proven that more than three-fourths of all sickness is directly or indirectly due to stomach, liver and kidney troubles. In this category are some of the most prevalent maladies and complaints such as Rheumatism, Lumbago, Indigestion, Sleeplessness, Urinary Troubles, Female Weakness, Headaches, Dizziness, Backaches, Tired Feeling, Disorders of the Stomach, Bladder, Liver and Kidneys, and other ailments too numerous to mention. Rheumatism, for instance, is due primarily to pus pockets forming in the body, after being transmitted through the stomach from bad teeth or affected tonsils. To get relief one must remove from the blood and system the poisons thus distributed. The quickest and best method of doing this is to take THE REESE FORMULA R-LL, which works directly on the stomach, liver and kidneys and removes all the poisons from these organs, purifies the blood and builds up the system generally.

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Though the design and operation of parachutes have been the subject of practical experiments since the eighteenth century, the American air service is the first it is believed, to test the action and interaction of parachutes used in pairs, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. In experiments performed at Mitchel field, Long Island, N. Y., a sergeant strapped one parachute on his back, as usual, and a second on his chest. Thus encumbered, he was carried, in a two-seater plane, to a height of approximately one mile. Here he walked out on a wing, pulled the release of the rearward chute, and stepped into space. The white bag opened nicely, and he drifted down to within less than 1,000 feet. Here he pulled the second release, and the second parachute opened above him without entangling or interfering with the first.

HUMOR SUPERIOR TO WIT

Former Quality Always Kindly, While the Latter Is Inclined to Be Caustic.

Both wit and humor, like, art, poetry and love, are quite indefinable. But humor is the more elusive of the two. There are national types of wit, an English wit, a French wit, a German wit, an Irish wit, and—yes—a Scottish wit.

But humor is something universal, the curious and blessed gift that man has, all the world over, of discerning the incongruous in most things, remarks a writer in the Edinburgh Scotsman. Wit is related to the superficial, but humor dwells deep down in the inmost heart of us. Wit may be caustic; humor is kindly. Wit is the accompaniment of comedy and draws forth the loud guffaw of the top gallery of the music halls. But humor is not divorced from tragedy, and its laughter may be very close to tears.

Scottish "wit" is not English wit, but a sense of humor is the same in kind all the world over. Scottish wit, of both the deliberate and the accidental kind, consists very largely in a certain dry way of saying something so simple and obvious that it is least expected.

WHY SHEEP GLANDS INSTEAD OF MONKEY

Sheep and Cattle Glands Also Said To Secrete Substance Similar to Human Glands

Although it is apparent that the skeletons and organs of monkeys are nearest to those of human beings, yet science has known that glands of nearly all animals are like human glands in their functions and secrete the same elements which have been found of such great importance in maintaining health and strength.

As a result the health and strength of these animals may now in effect be transferred in part to human beings. This is being attempted by use of gland extracts from sheep and cattle combined with iron and other body building ingredients in tablet form which can be swallowed as one would swallow any pill

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BOOK MANY CENTURIES OLD

New Testament in Manuscript, Marvelously Preserved, Was Brought to New York From Armenia.

One of the oldest New Testament manuscripts in the world, and the oldest, so far as is known, in the United States, was brought from Europe by John Hahn, a Hungarian. A dozen or more full-page colored illustrations of incidents in the life of Jesus begin the volume. These are followed by two pages of historical data and several more comprising a calendar.

Little is known of the history of this ancient Testament. A brief account of its later adventures is given in the center of the book, written in modern Armenian by Jezekiel Arshaguni, who, in 1895, wrote what he knew of its story. During the reign of Abdul Hamdam, when the Turks were persecuting the Armenian people, pillaging homes, demolishing chapels and carrying away all the books, this volume was saved because it was hidden in water, doubtless in a well, until the danger had passed. The book was equal to the test. The ink stayed fast and the parchment firm. Only the red leather cover was loosened from the canvas back, showing its wooden foundation and a scrap of silk lining.

HAS NO ONE RESTING PLACE

Bones of St. Adrian Are Scattered Pretty Well Over the Whole of Europe.

The most scattered saint in Europe is St. Adrian. Remains of this former Roman soldier are kept in the abbey of St. Adrian, in Geersburg, Belgium, but they are also kept at Raulcourt in the same country, and Ghent has still another full set of remains. The jaw and half an arm are shown at Cologne, a head at Bologna, and various parts of the saint's anatomy are also disclosed at Bruges and at Douai. He was formerly held to be the patron saint of soldiers, and was very popular with the wild troopers of northern France, Flanders and part of Germany centuries ago. He was also held dear by German brewers.

St. Adrian lived in the early part of the fourth century, and was one of the guard of the Emperor Galerius Maximian. He was superintending the torture of 34 Christians one evening, when their fortitude and patience so impressed him that he became a follower of the faith on the spot. His wife, already a Christian in secret, joined him in openly declaring his views. As punishment he had his limbs struck off one by one on an anvil and was then beheaded.

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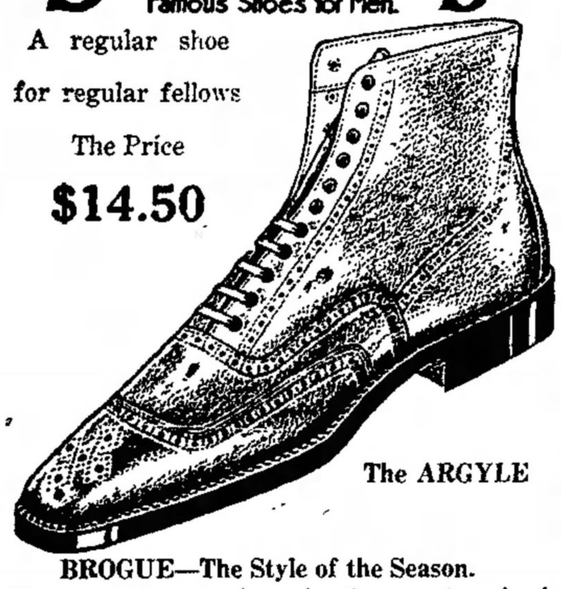

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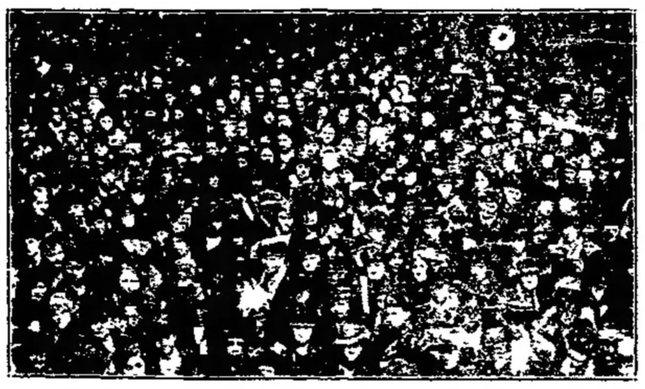

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